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Appendix XI.

[Vide item VI " Communications to the Council " on page 53 supra.]

With reference to the answer to Question No. 322 (starred) answered in the Legislative Council on 27th August 1927, the following information is placed on the table :—

* 126 Q.—Mr. Basheer Ahmad Sayeed : Will the hon. the Law Member be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of prisoners who have been released during the last five years under section 401 of the Criminal Procedure Code ;

(*b*) the offences for which they had been convicted ; and

(*c*) the grounds on which their release was ordered ?

A.—(*a*) 3,471.

(*b*) A statement containing the information is appended.

(*c*)

i.	Medical grounds	231
ii.	Expiry of 14 years' rigorous imprisonment ...	53
iii.	Recommended by the Advisory Board ...	721
iv.	Sentences of Mapilla convicts, suspended, under suspension scheme	2,205
v.	On other grounds	35
vi.	Sentences remitted	70
vii.	Port Blair convicts released after the expiry of 20 years	156

Statement of offences of convicts released under section 401 for the last five years.

Criminal Procedure Code.

1. Sections 123 and 108

Indian Penal Code.

2. Sections 109, 114, 121, 122, 123, 124-A, 135, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 153, 181, 188, 193, 224, 235, 240, 245, 248, 258, 301, 302, 304, 306, 307, 308, 309, 318, 323, 324, 325, 326, 328, 329, 333, 337, 347, 349, 355, 360, 363, 366, 369, 370, 375, 376, 378, 379, 380, 381, 384, 394, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 402, 406, 409, 411, 412, 420, 426, 427, 431, 435, 436, 438, 440, 448, 449, 451, 454, 457, 460, 467, 468, 471, 475, 476, 477, 487, 506, 511, 557 and 829.

3. Regulation 2 of Martial Law Ordinance II of 1921, read with sections 149 and 379, Indian Penal Code.

4. Regulations 2, 4, 5, 6 (*c*), 7 (*b*) & (*c*) and 14 (*a*) of Martial Law Ordinance II of 1921.

5. Regulation 2 of Martial Law Ordinance II of 1921, read with section 379, Indian Penal Code.

6. Regulation 5 of Martial Law Ordinance II of 1921.

7. Clause 82 of the Registration Act.

8. Section 126 of the Railway Act.

9. Clause 22 of the Criminal Tribes Act.

10. Section 221-B of Act III of 1911.

11. Section 9, clause 6 of Act I of 1878.